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ACRONYMS

CFA Central Facilities Area

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

COPC contaminant of potential concern

DOE-ID Department of Energy Idaho Operations Office

EDE effective dose equivalent

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

INEEL Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory

MEI maximally exposed individual

NESHAP National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants

NOAA National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration

STAR Stability Array

UCL upper confidence level

Dose Calculations for the Projected Emissions from the CFA-08 Cap Installation

SUMMARY

The CAP-88PC code was used to estimate the doses for the maximally exposed individual (MEI) caused by radionuclide emissions from the projected emissions for the installation of a cap over the Central Facilities Area (CFA)-08 drainfield. These calculations were performed using the CAP88-PC, Version 2.0 (Parks 1997). The CAP-88 code (Environmental Protection Agency [EPA] 1990) is required for estimating doses that are used to demonstrate compliance with 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 61, Subpart H, "National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other Than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities" (National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants [NESHAP]). The CAP88-PC software has been approved for demonstrating compliance with the requirements of 40 CFR 61, Subpart H (see http://www.er.doe.gov/production/cr-80/cap88/).

2. METHODS/ASSUMPTIONS

2.1 Source Term

The remedial action being addressed in this analysis is the capping of the CFA-08 drainfield, located northeast of CFA-1605. Remediation activities will include mulching contaminated vegetation with a mower, which will be left in place. Potential sources of airborne radionuclides during mulching include the release of contaminated particles adhering to plant surfaces and the resuspension of contaminated surface soil particles.

To develop the source term, two major conservative assumptions were made:

- All of the radiation measured in vegetation is associated with resuspendable particles adhering to plant surfaces. All of these particles will be mechanically dislodged and become airborne during mulching.
- Radionuclides measured in contaminated surface soil are associated with resuspendable surface
 particles that can be dislodged during mulching and become airborne at conservatively high rates
 equivalent to those measured for agricultural operations. The top 1 cm of soil is considered to be
 the active soil layer (i.e., the layer subject to resuspension).

The vegetation growing on the drainfield contains about 6.7E-09 Ci of Cs-137 (Hamilton, Yancey, and Hess 2000). The entire inventory in vegetation was assumed to be released during mulching. For CAP88-PC calculations, the release was annualized (i.e., 6.7E-09 Ci/yr).

Table 1 presents concentrations of radionuclides measured in the top 6 in. (0.1524 m) of soil collected from the CFA-08 drainfield (Burgess et al. 2000). For this analysis, it was assumed that each radionuclide is homogeneously distributed throughout the soil volume. The mean concentrations are thus used to calculate the inventories available for resuspension (Table 2). The total radionuclide releases shown in Table 2 were annualized (i.e., Ci/yr) for input into CAP88-PC.

Table 1. Summary statistics for CFA-08 drainfield surface soil (0-6 in.). Data from Burgess et al. (2000).

			Concentration					
COPC	Number of Samples	Number of Detects	Minimum	Maximum	Meana	Std. Dev.	Normal 95% UCL ^b	Lognormal 95% UCL ^b
Cs-137	30	29	0.094	169	2.48E+01	4.52E+01	2.88E+01	1.87E+02
Pu-239/240	8	3	0.11	2.9	4.27E-01	1.01E+00	1.10E+00	8.14E+01
U-235	30	1	0.221	0.221	2.45E-02	6.03E-02	4.33E-02	9.97E+00

a. Arithmetic mean,

b. UCL – Upper confidence limit. A minimum of three samples, with positive detection for at least one of the samples, is required to calculate the UCL.

COPC = Contaminant of potential concern.

Table 2. Estimated releases of radionuclides from mechanical disturbance of surface soil during mulching.

	Invento	ry (Ci)	Soil Resuspension		ide Release Surface Soil	Release	during Mulch	ing (Ci)
COPC	Vegetation ^a	Soil ^b	Rate (sec ⁻¹) ^c	Ci/s	Ci/da ^d	Vegetation	Soil ^e	TOTAL
CS-137	6.70E-09	6.92E-03	4.00E-08	2.77E-10	7.97E-06	6.70E-09	1.59E-05	1.60E-05
Pu-239/240	_	1.19E-04	4.00E-08	4.77E-12	1.37E-07		2.75E-07	2.75E-07
U-235		6.84E-06	4.00E-08	2.73E-13	7.88E-09	_	1.58E-08	1.58E-08

a. Value from e-mail sent by Deborah Wagoner to Marilyn Case on 8/17/01.

2.2 Computer Code and Data

The CAP88-PC computer code (Parks 1997) was used for this analysis. The output from CAP88-PC for individual dose calculations is the effective dose equivalent (EDE), which includes the 50-year committed effective dose equivalent from internal exposure through the ingestion and inhalation pathways and the external EDE from ground deposition and air immersion. The dose conversion factors are from the RADRISK dosimetric database.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) has collected meteorological data at the 15-m level from the CFA meteorological tower. Data for ten years (1987–1996) was provided electronically by NOAA in Stability Array (STAR) format (Staley and Abbot 1998). The CFA, 15-m STAR file was used directly as input to the CAP88PC code (Ritter 1997).

The source was modeled as an area (18,605 m²) ground-level release with no plume rise. The total releases shown in Table 2 were input as annual releases. Doses were calculated for the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory (INEEL) boundary MEI, located 9,600 m SSW of CFA (Staley and Abbott 1998).

b. Arithmetic mean concentration (pCi/g) in top 6 inches of soil multiplied by soil density (1.5 g/cc), area of drainfield (18,605 m²), and active soil depth (1 cm).

c. Resuspension rate for disking from J. W. Healy (1980).

d. Assumes that mulching will be conducted for 8 hours per day.

e. Assumes that mulching will be conducted for 2 days.

The remaining parameter values used for the CAP88-PC code are as follows:

- 1. The fraction of vegetables produced at home, within the local assessment area and outside assessment areas, was entered as 0.7, 0, and 0.3 (Staley and Abbott 1998).
- 2. The fraction of meat produced at home, within the local assessment area and outside assessment areas, was entered as 0.442, 0, and 0.558 (Staley and Abbott 1998).
- 3. The fraction of milk produced at home, within the local assessment area and outside assessment areas, was entered as 0.399, 0, and 0.601 (Staley and Abbott 1998).
- Default values were used for beef cattle and milk cow density, and the land fraction cultivated for vegetable crops.
- Annual mean meteorological data from Clawson, Start, and Ricks (1989) were used. This includes an annual precipitation rate of 22.12 cm/yr and an annual ambient temperature of 5.56°C.
- The height of the tropospheric mixing layer (lid) was assumed to be 800 m (Staley and Abbott 1998).

The CAP88-PC input file is provided as Attachment 1.

2.3 Results

An EDE of 2.5E-06 mrem was calculated for the location of the INEEL boundary MEI, 9,600 m SSW of CFA. This value is three orders of magnitude below the EDE of 7.92E-03 mrem estimated at the MEI for all INEEL emissions for 1999 (Department of Energy Idaho Operations Office [DOE-ID] 2000) and well within the dose limit of 10 mrem for the INEEL. The MEI receptor location used for DOE-ID 2000 is 14359 SW of CFA at Frenchman's Cabin. The INEEL boundary location used in this Engineering Design File analysis thus results in a more conservative calculation than that reported in the annual NESHAP report (DOE-ID 2000).

Copies of the CAP88-PC output files for the dose calculations are provided in Attachment 2.

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Attachment 1 CAP88-PC Input File

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Attachment 1

CAP88-PC Input File

Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm CFA08Cap CFAMulch. C:\CAP88PC2\WNDFILES\CFA10Y.WND CFA-08

ID

2001 Resuspension of radionuclides in soil and 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 800 278.72 22.12 1 0. 18605. 0. 2.212e-06 .0018 0.000e+00 1396 1054 1 1 9 PU-239 Y 1.0 1.000e-04 1.000e-03 5.480e-05 2.75E-07 0.E+00 0.E+00 0.E+00 0.E+00 PU-239 2.212e-06 .0018 0.000e+00 3743 2773 2 1 9 235 Y 1.0 2.000e-03 2.000e-01 5.480e-05 2.212e-06 .0018 0.000e+00 5607 4366 3 1 0.7 0.0 0.3 Entered 0.399 0.0 0.601 0.442 0.0 0.558 0.399 0.442 7.190e-02 8.560e-03 7.150e-02 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 PU-239 53 236 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 0.000e+00 U-235 72 313 00 00 00 00 00

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Attachment 2 CAP88-PC Synopsis and Summary Reports

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Attachment 2

CAP88-PC Synopsis and Summary Reports

Synopsis Report

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Version 2.00

Clean Air Act Assessment Package - 1988

SYNOPSIS REPORT

Non-Radon Individual Assessment Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm

Facility: CFA-08

Address:

City:

State: ID Zip:

Source Category:

Source Type: Area Emission Year: 2001

Comments: Resuspension of radionuclides in soil and

vegetation during mulching prior to capping.

Effective Dose Equivalent (mrem/year)

2.76E-06

At This Location: 9600 Meters East Northeast

Dataset Name: CFA08Cap
Dataset Date: Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm
Wind File: C:\CAP88PC2\WNDFILES\CFA10Y.WND

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MAXIMALLY EXPOSED INDIVIDUAL

Location Of The Individual: 9600 Meters East Northeast Lifetime Fatal Cancer Risk: 2.79E-11

ORGAN DOSE EQUIVALENT SUMMARY

	Dose				
E	quivalent				
Organ	(mrem/y)				
GONADS	6.37E-07				
BREAST	3.71E-07				
R MAR	2.40E-06				
LUNGS	8.45E-06				
THYROID	3.91E-07				
ENDOST	2.60E-05				
RMNDR	1.50E-06				

EFFEC 2.76E-06

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RADIONUCLIDE EMISSIONS DURING THE YEAR 2001

Source #1 TOTAL Nuclide Class Size Ci/y Ci/y

CS-137 D 1.00 1.6E-05 1.6E-05 PU-239 Y 1.00 2.7E-07 2.7E-07 U-235 Y 1.00 1.6E-08 1.6E-08

SITE INFORMATION

Temperature: 6 degrees C Precipitation: 22 cm/y

Mixing Height: 800 m

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SOURCE INFORMATION

Source Number: 1

Source Height (m): 0. Area (sq m): 18605.

Plume Rise

Buoyant (cal/s): 0. (Heat Release Rate)

AGRICULTURAL DATA

Vegetable Milk Meat

Fraction Home Produced: 0.700 0.399 0.442
Fraction From Assessment Area: 0.000 0.000 0.000
Fraction Imported: 0.300 0.601 0.558

Food Arrays were not generated for this run.
Default Values used.

DISTANCES (M) USED FOR MAXIMUM INDIVIDUAL ASSESSMENT

9600

Summary Report

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DOSE AND RISK EQUIVALENT SUMMARIES

Non-Radon Individual Assessment Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm

Facility: CFA-08 Address:

City: State: ID Zip:

Source Category: Source Type: Area Emission Year: 2001

Comments: Resuspension of radionuclides in soil and vegetation during mulching prior to capping.

Dataset Name: CFA08Cap
Dataset Date: Sep 12, 2001 12:07 pm
Wind File: C:\CAP88PC2\WNDFILES\CFA10Y.WND

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ORGAN DOSE EQUIVALENT SUMMARY

Organ	Selected Individual (mrem/y)
GONADS BREAST R MAR LUNGS THYROID ENDOST RMNDR	6.37E-07 3.71E-07 2.40E-06 8.45E-06 3.91E-07 2.60E-05 1.50E-06
EFFEC	2.76E-06

PATHWAY EFFECTIVE DOSE EQUIVALENT SUMMARY

Selected Individual

Pathway (mrem/y)

INGESTION 4.82E-07
INHALATION 2.28E-06
AIR IMMERSION 3.52E-14
GROUND SURFACE 1.13E-09
INTERNAL 2.76E-06
EXTERNAL 1.13E-09

TOTAL 2.76E-06

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NUCLIDE EFFECTIVE DOSE EQUIVALENT SUMMARY

Nuclide	Selected Individual (mrem/y)
CS-137	3.24E-07
PU-239 U-235	2.39E-06 4.92E-08
TOTAL	2.76E-06

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CANCER RISK SUMMARY

Cancer	Selected Individual Total Lifetime Fatal Cancer Risk
LEUKEMIA	2.66E-12
BONE	1.11E-12
THYROID	1.66E-13
BREAST	1.34E-12
LUNG	1.46E-11
STOMACH	8.31E-13
BOWEL	3.45E-13
LIVER	4.72E-12
PANCREAS	7.74E-13
URINARY	4.59E-13
OTHER	9.47E-13
TOTAL	2.79E-11

PATHWAY RISK SUMMARY

	Selected Individual Total Lifetime
Pathway	Fatal Cancer Risk
INGESTION	8.97E-12
INHALATION	1.89E-11
AIR IMMERSION	8.20E-19
GROUND SURFACE	2.64E-14
INTERNAL	2.79E-11
EXTERNAL	2.64E-14
TOTAL	2.79E-11

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NUCLIDE RISK SUMMARY

	Selected Individual Total Lifetime	
Nuclide	Fatal Cancer Risk	
		
CS-137	8.48E-12	•
PU-239	1.88E-11	
U-235	6.49E-13	
	TOTAL	2.79E-11

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INDIVIDUAL EFFECTIVE DOSE EQUIVALENT RATE (mrem/y) (All Radionuclides and Pathways)

Direction 9600 N 1.1E-06 NNW 8.4E-07 NW 5.4E-07 WNW 5.2E-07 W 6.2E-07 W 6.2E-07 WSW 1.0E-06 SW 2.2E-06 SSW 2.5E-06 S 1.8E-06 SE 1.6E-06 SE 1.6E-06 ESE 1.7E-06 E 2.0E-06 ENE 2.8E-06 NNE 1.5E-06 NNE 1.5E-06

INDIVIDUAL LIFETIME RISK (deaths) (All Radionuclides and Pathways)

Distance (m)

Direct:	ion 9600	
N	1.1E-11	
NNW	8.6E-12	
NW	5.5E-12	
WNW	5.3E-12	
W	6.3E-12	
WSW	1.0E-11	
SW	2.2E-11	
SSW	2.6E-11	
S	1.8E-11	
SSE	1.6E-11	
SE	1.6E-11	
ESE	1.7E-11	
E	2.0E-11	
ENE	2.8E-11	
NE	2.3E-11	
NNE	1.5E-11	